

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Gokay Albayrak et al
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Commissioner for Patents
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application,
entry of the present amendment is respectfully requested.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Amendments to the abstract begin on page 2 of this letter.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.